

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

APPLICANT: Stuart Brown  
SERIAL NUMBER: 10/629,048 EXAMINER : M. Stout  
FILING DATE: July 28, 2003 ART UNIT : 3736  
FOR: TISSUE AND FLUID SAMPLING DEVICE

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT**

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed on September 24, 2009 and to the Interview Summary mailed on November 2, 2009. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due, or credit any overpayments of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, reference 26859-002UTIL.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.